



ARBOR DAY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Arbor Day has contributed to the public's awareness of the importance of trees; and

WHEREAS, the National Arbor Day Foundation has been a leader in the promotion of education and the importance of planting of trees in communities across America; and

WHEREAS, trees provide city dwellers with many comforts and pleasures such as providing shade, cleaning our air, providing beauty, buffering harsh urban sounds, providing shelter from winter winds, providing shelter for wildlife, and increasing property values; and

WHEREAS, an official Arbor Day proclamation is one of four requirements by the National Arbor Day Foundation for a community to meet certification as a "Tree City USA". Green River has been recognized by the Arbor Day Foundation as a "2019 Tree City USA":

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Pete Rust, Mayor of the City of Green River, do hereby designate **SATURDAY, MAY 9, 2020** as

ARBOR DAY

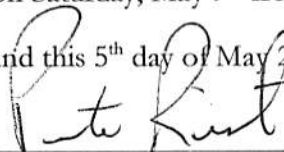
in the City of Green River, and encourage all citizens to actively support tree planting and protection as a means to improve our community and the quality of our lives.

The City of Green River will be distributing free sapling trees at the front of Ace Hardware, Green River, Wyoming on Saturday, May 9th from 9am-3pm.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 5th day of May 2020.



TREE CITY USA.


Pete Rust, Mayor